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OF STABEX

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1. COMMISSION OFFICIAL (NICOLAI, DG-III), MEMBER OF
INTER-AGENCY TASK FORCE ON NORTH-SOUTH ISSUES, INFORMED
US JULY 18 THAT COMMISSION'S PLANS TO PURSUE STUDY OF
FEASIBILITY OF GLOBAL STABEX ARE NOW VIRTUALLY A DEAD
LETTER. IN RE-SUBMITTING THE PROPOSALS TO MEMBER
STATES (REFTEL) COMMISSION GOT NOWHERE, GIVEN THE IN-
TRANSIGENCE OF ITALY, BELGIUM, AND UK. BELGIAN
PRESIDENCY IS ALSO REPORTEDLY LUKEWARM ABOUT QUESTION OF
GLOBAL STABEX. NICOLAI INDICATED THAT PRESIDENCY WOULD
NOT BRING IT UP FOR CONSIDERATION IN EC COUNCIL UNTIL
END SEPTEMBER, I.E. TOO LATE FOR IMF/IBRD DEVELOPMENT
COMMITTEE MEETING. LAMENTING THE FACT THAT THE COM-
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MUNITY, FOR ALL INTENTS AND PURPOSES, WAS "DROPPING"
THE GLOBAL STABEX IDEA, NICOLAI COMMENTED THAT THE
INITIATIVE HAD BEEN MADE "ABOUT ONE YEAR TOO LATE"
TO BE HELPFUL TO THE G-8 IN DEFLECTING LDC ATTENTION
FROM THE COMMON FUND.

2. IN SEPARATE CONVERSATION CONFIRMING ABOVE, JEAN CLAUDE

MULLER, COMMISSION CHIEF FOR STABEX, INDICATED THAT THE COMMUNITY WAS CURRENTLY LEANING TOWARD A STRENGTHENING OF THE IMF COMPENSATORY FINANCING FACILITY TO HELP STABILIZE LDC COMMODITY EXPORT EARNINGS. MULLER HIMSELF PREFERS THE LATTER APPROACH TO A GLOBAL STABEX SCHEME, AS A MORE EFFECTIVE MECHANISM FOR ASSISTING THE POOREST LDC'S. HINTON

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